(c) the number of unorganized workers expected to be covered in the country;

(d) whether Government propose any financial allocation for the purpose; and

(e) if not, in what manner Government propose to meet the financial burden?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI K. CHANDRASEKHAR RAO): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (e) The Government propose to enact a comprehensive legislation to provide social security to the unorganized workers. The details are being worked out in consultation with all concerned.

Bringing ITI's at International level

†972. SHRI KALRAJ MISHRA: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have formulated any scheme to bring ITI's of the country to the international level;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of institutes along with the names of concerned States, selected for this purpose; and

(d) the total amount likely to be incurred thereof?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI K. CHANDRASEKHAR RAO): (a) and (b) No, Sir. However, a scheme to upgrade 100 ITIs into Centres of Excellence has been taken up with the objective to produce work force of world standard.

(c) A Statement showing the States/UTs and number of Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) covered under the above mentioned scheme is given in this Statement (See below).

(d) A provision of Rs. 160.00 crore has been made @ Rs. 1.60 crore per ITI to upgrade the facilities in these institutes.

†Original notice of question was received in Hindi

Statement

Number of 100 Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) in a State/UT covered under the scheme "Upgradation of ITIs into Centres of Excellence".

SI.No	. State	No. of ITIs
1	Andhra Pradesh	5
2	Bihar	2
3	Chhattisgarh	4
4	Delhi	1
5	Goa	1
6	Gujarat	8
7	Haryana	5
8	Himachal Pradesh	3
9	Jharkhand	1
10	Karnataka	6
11	Kerala	5
12	Madhya Pradesh	8
13	Maharashtra	12
14	Orissa	2
15	Punjab	6
16	Rajasthan	5
17	Tamil Nadu	4
18	Uttaranchal	3
19	Uttar Pradesh	10
20	West Bengal	3
	UTs	
21	A & Nicobar Islands	1
22	Chandigarh	1
23	D & N Havali	1
24	Daman & Diu	1
25	Lakshadweep	1
26	Pondicherry	1